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Applicant: Ilan Golecki : Batch No.: None

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For: COATINGS & METHOD FOR PROTECTING CARBON-CONTAINING COMPONENTS FROM OXIDATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In addition to the Request for Continued Examination in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114 filed herewith, and in response to the Advisory Action dated as mailed on April 20, 2004, and having a period of response extending through and including June 13, 2004, please make the below-identified amendments and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.